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# DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

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## MAYOR BRINTON HAS MADE GOOD CONTRACT

RETURNED LAST EVENING WITH  
CONFIRMATION OF SECUR-  
ING COLONY.

## BIGGEST ACHIEVEMENT OF ALL

Epileptic Colony Will Mean More  
to Dixon Than Anyone Can  
Realize Now.

Mayor W. B. Brinton arrived home from Springfield last evening at 5:30 and found himself the "Man of the Hour." He brought confirmation of the news that Dixon has been selected as the location for the state epileptic colony, the best news that Dixon has received in many years.

As soon as possible, within a few weeks, the state experts will sink an artesian well on the property to test the quality and flow of water, which they will find to be unsurpassed. Other work will also be started soon, for the institution is a sore need in the state of Illinois. It is the biggest of all, and will be a bigger factor in the growth and prosperity of this city than any of the others. Of this all who are acquainted with the details are satisfied. The new epileptic colony, on which the state will spend a million and a half dollars immediately, and as much more within a very short time, will be the very best state institution. From the first it will be built to accommodate 1500 patients, and as there is no other epileptic colony, nor will there be another one in the state, and there are ten thousand sufferers from this ailment in this state, so the colony must eventually be made large enough for them all. The amount of money that will be spent here and the good it will do Dixon is staggering, and is little realized by Dixon now.

The locating of the epileptic colony in Dixon is the crowning incident in a long series of achievements that will result in making Dixon one of the real important cities of this state, and there is nothing to prevent the work from being started. Realizing that there will be a great amount of transient visiting here, the administration board was very much interested in the hotel accommodations and it was necessary for Mr. Brinton to give his personal guarantee that there would be ample hotel accommodations. A street railway will be built to the administration building on the grounds, wherever it may be located, for with such a large colony there must be much communication and good transportation facilities to the city.

Dixon is elated, and she has a perfect right to be, although she was satisfied from the first that the Dixon site was the very best one that could be offered. Mayor Brinton is receiving handshakes and congratulations from all quarters, for to him is due the main share of the honor of securing the sanitarium.

The details of requirements and specifications that Dixon must meet to secure the colony, and which Mayor Brinton brought home with him last night, have been gone over carefully by the local committee from the Citizens' association and they pronounce every demand easily met with and say that the terms are entirely satisfactory.

## MAKE CONCESSIONS IN HOME RULE BILL

GLASGOW HERALD TODAY TELLS  
OF SWEEPING CONCESSIONS  
TO BE MADE TO ULSTER.

(By the Associated Press)

Glasgow, Scotland, Feb. 4—Concessions of the most sweeping nature are to be made to Ulster in connection with the introduction of the Home Rule Bill in Ireland, according to the reports published here today in the Glasgow Herald.

The concessions cover practically everything short of the exclusion of the Ulster from the provisions of the Home Rule measure.

## WEATHER FORECAST

For Dixon and vicinity—Fair tonight and Thursday. Warmer tonight and Thursday.  
Sunrise 7:00 a. m. Sunset 5:08 p. m.  
Light lamps on motor vehicles at 5:08 p. m.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and is for the preceding 24 hours:

	Max	Min.	Precip.
Sunday	40	18	
Monday	38	22	
Tuesday	38	25	
Wednesday	32	8	

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COMES UP—MASTER IN CHAN-  
CERY FILES REPORT.

Following the settlement of the Shaw vs. I. N. U. case which was published exclusively in this paper last evening, Judge Heard dismissed the petit jury of the circuit court until 9 o'clock this morning when the case of Stevens vs. Dahler was called. The case has resulted from a misunderstanding in the sale of a restaurant in Amboy. Late yesterday afternoon Master in Chancery A. C. Bardwell filed his term report which was approved by the judge.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Wadsworth were here today.

Joe Glavin went to Polo today to visit with friends.

DEMOCRATS OPPOSE  
VOTES FOR WOMEN

UNDERWOOD PUTS PARTY ON  
RECORD AS AGAINST NATIONAL  
LEGISLATION FOR WOMEN  
SUFFRAGE.

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4—The entire democratic party was formally placed on record today as being opposed to any national legislation that would confer the right of suffrage on the women of the United States. The announcement was made from the floor of the house or representatives by Minority Leader Underwood.

YOUNG MANAGER  
ARRIVED YESTERDAY

A young gentleman (a new manager for the Home Telephone Co.) arrived yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pitcher, weighing 9 1-2 pounds.

## EMBARRASSING MOMENTS



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## HERE BOYS IS THE BEST CHANCE YET

IF YOU WANT TO OWN A FINE,  
STEEL, RUBBER-TIRED BOVCY-  
CLE, COME TO THIS OFFICE.

## THEY DO NOT COST YOU A PENNY

Any Boy Can Earn One of These  
Fine Playthings With Very  
Little Effort.

BOYS! BOYS! BOYS! Here is your chance to get a real Boycycle, built of steel, with rubber tires, strong and durable. It is FREE TO YOU ALL and you can get it without spending a cent. It only takes a little work, for an hour or two, and you will be the proud owner of as fine a boy's plaything as you could desire. Turn to the advertisement on page 2 and read the particulars. Come to this office between 5:30 and 6 o'clock tonight or between 7 and 8 tonight or any time tomorrow. You boys who want to win these prizes must act quickly. It is to your interest to come to this office at once and enquire the particulars. The terms are so liberal that any boy or girl who wants to earn a boycycle can easily get one. Come and inspect the machine and learn how easy it will be for you to have one of your own. An Evening Telegraph proposition, and the Telegraph stands back of it.

## NEW YORK JUGGLERS GET FINE AND JAIL

DEMOCRATIC BOSS AND FORMER  
CONGRESSMAN, AS WELL AS  
GO-BETWEEN, TO SING SING.

(By the Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 4—Joseph Cassidy, the former democratic boss of Queens county, and former Congressman Willett, were sentenced to six months to a year in Sing Sing prison and fined \$1000 each, Louis Walter, a politician, was given a sentence of three months in prison and \$1000 fine. Walter was convicted of paying a bribe to Cassidy for a superior court nomination. Walter was convicted of being a go-between.

MRS. MICHAEL FELLOWS DIES

Word has been received by Austin Powers of the death at Battle Creek, Mich., of Mrs. Michael Fellows, widow of a former Dixonite. No particulars of the death are given and it is not known whether or not her remains will be brought to Dixon for interment in the family lot at Oakwood.

## DIXON TO TACKLE STERLING PLAYERS

BASKETBALL TEAM WILL HAVE  
HARD CONTEST AT STERLING  
FRIDAY EVENING.

The Dixon high school basketball team will meet a worthy foe, and undoubtedly play the hardest game of their season at Sterling Friday evening when they will meet the fast Sterling high school team. Until last Friday, when they were defeated in a game with Freeport, the Sterling team was counted in the running for the down state championship, and the Freeport team gave them credit for being the hardest team to beat the Pretzelites had met this season. Therefore the Dixon boys realize they are going up against a hard proposition and a large number of fans are planning to accompany them to Sterling to encourage them in the battle.

## "ARSON SQUAD" IN DESTRUCTIVE WORK

SUFFRAGETTES BURN MAGNIFICENT  
MANSIONS—ONE IS THE  
HOME OF OFFICER OF ANTI-  
SUFFRAGETTES.

(By the Associated Press)

Glasgow, Scotland, Feb. 4—Suffragette arson squads caused heavy damage in the neighborhood of the Perthshire village of Comrie. A magnificent mansion, "The House of Rose," was entirely consumed with all its costly contents, by fire, set by the militants, and the fine mansion of Stirling Boyd, whose wife is the vice president of the anti-suffrage league was also burned to the ground by the women. An attempt to destroy Aberchill castle was made but the fire was extinguished before any harm had been done.

## NACHUSA TO VOTE H. W. COMMISSIONER

ELECTION MONDAY WILL DETER-  
MINE WHETHER THEY HAVE  
THREE OR ONE.

Nachusa township will hold a special election Monday of next week to decide whether they shall have three or one township highway commissioners in the future. In the town of Nachusa the people seem to be about evenly divided on the question and the country vote will probably decide the issue.

## PRESIDENT OF PERU IS TAKEN PRISONER

PREMIER AND MINISTER OF  
WAR KILLED IN ATTACK ON  
PALACE TODAY.

REOLUTIONISTS HAVE PALACE

Dr. Durand, Former Revolt Leader,  
Is in Charge—Citizens Are  
Panic Stricken.

(By the Associated Press)

Lima, Peru, Feb. 4—Guillermo Billinghurst, the president of the republic of Peru, was taken prisoner today by the forces of the military revolutionists and revolt has gripped the city and its panic stricken residents.

The rebels made their attack on the presidential palace at 4:30 this morning, under the leadership of Colonel Benavides. Gen. Varela, premier and minister of war, was killed in the sharp fighting that ensued after the early morning surprise.

Durand in Command.

Dr. Augusto Durand, the former revolutionary leader, took possession of the palace. It is believed they will set about immediately to organize a new government for the republic.

Residents in Terror.

Panic stricken, thousands of residents of the city dashed into the streets when the fighting commenced, but the mobs were kept moving by the soldiers, who fired volleys into the air. One civilian bystander was killed by a stray bullet from the soldiers' guns.

All of the banks and stores are closed and locked and business is suspended and the private houses are barricaded and guarded by the citizens, who fear looting.

(By the Associated Press)

Lima, Peru, Feb. 4—The sudden revolutionary trouble that descended on the capital here this morning was the result of agitation against President Billinghurst, whose program of economic reform has been unpopular with many citizens, especially the office holders, whose salaries have been cut down or dispensed with.

Guillermo Billinghurst is the son of an Englishman although his mother is a Peruvian. His father was drowned in a tidal wave 46 years ago. Billinghurst took an active part in the war between Peru and Chile and became president of Peru in 1912.

Exile Billinghurst.

The rebels in command have taken ex-President Billinghurst to Callao, from which place he will be sent into exile to foreign parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Leake of Temperance Hill were in Dixon yesterday.

## PETERS' TEAM TIES WITH SELF BOWLERS

EACH HAS A PERCENTAGE OF  
633 AND ARE EVEN FOR SEC-  
OND PLACE SONORS.

## WON 3 STRAIGHT FROM POOLS

Great Interest is Being Demonstrated  
by Fans in the Popular  
Indoor Pastime.

As a result of winning five out of six games played at the Valle alleys on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Peters' team has gone into a tie with Self's aggregation for second place, each having a percentage of 633. The league standing now is as follows:

	W	L	Per
Reilly	20	7	741
Self	19	11	633
Peters	19	11	633
Poole	13	7	433
Gonnerman	8	16	333
I. N. U.	7	20	259

On Monday evening Peters' team took three straight from Poole's aggregation and Tuesday evening two out of three from Self was the happy finish. The scores:

Peters.			
Hefley	128	155	138
Peters	133	175	170
Anderson	222	162	178
Demarest	141	167	133
Devine	163	197	214
Totals	787	856	833

Crabtree 172 | 138 | 129 || Lezier | 114 | 155 | 155 |
Ankeny	145	166	146
Valle	166	160	153
Slothower	151	184	17
Totals	748	803	747

Last evening the scores between the Self and Peters teams were as follows:

Self.			
Gray	165	140	150
Self	189	169	135
Hoberg	176	129	131
Hoefler	139	150	116
Moore	165	193	139
Totals	835	781	671

Salzman 157 | 174 | 67 || Peters | 151 | 161 | 184 |
Anderson	154	198	192
Hefley	149	149	152
Devine	166	168	176
Totals	777	850	874

## HUNDREDS OF CASES OF FOOD DESTROYED

CANNED GOODS SEIZED AND DE-  
STROYED UNDER FOOD AND  
DRUG ACT.

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4—Nearly 800 cases of canned goods were destroyed recently at Savannah and Augusta, Ga., the courts having declared the products unfit for human consumption.

At Savannah, 100 cases of tomato pulp, shipped by D. E. Foote & Co., Baltimore, Md., on Oct. 11, 1913, and 200 cases of tomato stock shipped Oct. 9, 1913, by Greenbaum Bros. Co., Inc., Seaford, Del., were destroyed on the ground that the products were filthy, decomposed, and unfit for food. Six cases of butter, shipped about Dec. 3, 1913, by V. Lopez & Co., New York were also destroyed at the same time, at Savannah, on the charge that the product contained excessive quantities of water.

At Augusta, a short time prior to the destruction of the above articles 480 cases of canned peas, shipped by S. H. Levin's Sons, Philadelphia, Pa., were destroyed after condemnation, on the ground that they were filthy and decomposed.

LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license was issued today to Leland S. Brink of Nachusa township and Miss Ruby Margaret Dockery of Pine Creek township, in Ogle county.

MEET TONIGHT.

The Ladies' gymnasium class will meet at the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock this evening.

## PRESIDENT LIFTS THE ARMS EMBARGO ON MEXICAN REBELS

PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION RE-  
VOKES PREVIOUS ORDER IN-  
TENDED TO END REVOLT.

## SITUATION HAS CHANGED THERE

Chief Executive Declares That Now  
There is No Constitutional Authority  
in Southern Republic, But  
Keeps "Hands Off."

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4—The proclamation of President Wilson lifting the embargo on arms for the Mexican armies has been made by President Wilson. The department at Washington has sent instructions to the various custom agents along the Mexican border and to army officers in charge of the patrol notifying them that the embargo had been lifted and that arms may go in from the United States.

President's Proclamation.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4—The president's proclamation regarding the lifting of the arms embargo is as follows:

"Whereas, By a proclamation of the president issued on March 14, 1912, under a joint resolution of congress, approved by the president on the same day, it was declared that there existed in Mexico conditions of domestic violence which were promoted by the use of arms or munitions of war procured from the United States; and

"Whereas, By the joint resolution above mentioned it thereupon became unlawful to export arms or munitions of war to Mexico except under such limitations and exceptions as the president should prescribe;

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, hereby declare and proclaim that, as the conditions have changed, and it is desirable to place the United States, with reference to the exportation of arms or munitions of war to Mexico, the said proclamation is hereby revoked.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done at the city of Washington this third day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fourteen and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-eighth.

"WOODROW WILSON.

"By the President:

"W. J. BRYAN, Secretary of State."

Situation Has Now Changed.

President Wilson accompanied the proclamation with the following statements:

"The executive order under which the exportation of arms and ammunition into Mexico is forbidden, was a departure from the accepted practices of neutrality—a deliberate departure from those practices under a well considered joint resolution of congress determined upon in circumstances which have now ceased to exist. It was intended to discourage incipient revolts against the regularly constituted authorities of Mexico.

"Since that order was issued the circumstances of the case have undergone a radical change. There is now no constitutional government in Mexico; and the existence of this order hinders and delays the very thing the government of the United States is now insisting upon, namely, that Mexico shall be left free to settle her own affairs and as soon as possible put them upon a constitutional footing by her own force and counsel. The order is therefore rescinded."

BOWLING NOTES.

Because of the absence of one man the contest between the Hefley and Raymond teams at the Y. M. C. A. alleys could not be completed last evening. The absentee will roll his game tomorrow evening, when the Reid and Gonnerman teams will meet.

MILLER TO SPEAK

County Superintendent L. W. Miller has accepted an invitation to address a public meeting at Waterman Thursday evening, Feb. 12, the occasion being in the interest of the school consolidation which is being promulgated there. Mr. Miller's subject will be "Derelicts, or Human Drift Wood."



**DANDRUFF, FALLING HAIR, ITCHY SCALP,  
END THIS AT ONCE-25 CENT DANDERINE.**

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**MAKE IT GROW LUXURANT AND BEAUTIFUL**

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.  
Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair root

**EAST PAWPAW NEWS**

East Pawpaw, Feb. 2.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawbecker a son, Jan. 28.

Mrs. T. B. Rosette and son Ed visited at Waterman last week at the home of James Rosette.

Dick Harding and family are under quarantine for smallpox, three of the family have it.

Mrs. Lida Frazer of Aurora is here caring for Mr. Hawbecker.  
Mrs. Frank Hoag of La Crosse, Wis., is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ezra Watson, and calling on her friends.

Miss Fannie Cook has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Goshert left for their home in Warsaw, Ind., last Saturday.

Little Madge Heiderbrandt has been quite sick for the past week, and under the doctor's care.

Mrs. John Hoag of Manson, Ia., called on John Lobdell last week.

Jeff Lawrence of Crown Point, Ind., is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Charlie Biddle.

Little Ruth White was at the Compton hospital last week and a growth removed from her nose.

**SUBMITTED TO OPERATION.**

Miss Manning, of the Peoria road, who has been quite ill for some time was taken to the Katherine Shaw Reitha hospital last evening and today submitted to an operation which has every indication of being successful.

**Dementtewn**

Now that it has been discovered that the tango produces wrinkles, we may safely guess as to the result of the dance.

And in the meantime the wets and dries will be at it tooth and nail. The neighbors will fight about it, and there's going to be a hot time generally in the old berg.

George Slothower says he's not going to be left in the lurch in making improvements at the Princess, and according to his statement of plans he's going to have a "pipe rack" erected just in front of the curtain and a big sign printed: "This pipe belongs to Otto Witzleb, Up Stairs, Down Stairs, in the Alley and All Over."

This cool, respectfully advises that Dixon women wait until the weather is warmer before adopting the fad of going stockingless.

A Pittsburgh man, aged 75, has just married his fourth wife. He must have acquired the habit.

**ATTENDED FUNERAL.**

Police Sergeant John Gaffney attended the funeral of "Big Steve" McGrath, which was held in Chicago yesterday.

**Parson's Dilemma.**

An amusing incident of the clashing of ministerial and football interests has just come to light. On a recent Saturday the Rev. D. John of Bargoed, Wales, whilst traveling between Bargoed and Port Talbot to officiate at a meeting at Smyrna chapel, Talbach, had for his fellow-passengers a party of footballers. On his arrival at Talbach the reverend gentleman was astounded to find that he had taken one of the footballers' bags in mistake for his own, and instead of finding his Sunday sermon and the usual appurtenances he discovered a footballer's rig-out. It is not on record what the reverend gentleman said, but a shrewd guess can be made what the footballer ejaculated when he had to play in pajamas.

**Fooled Professor Huxley.**

Mr. Macmillan had a good story to tell of the late Professor Huxley. He was asked to write "Elementary Lessons in Physiology," and he submitted the first sixteen pages and then refused to continue the work on the ground of over-pressure. Eventually Mr. Macmillan had these sixteen pages made up in a "dummy" copy and sent it to the author, who opened the parcel and without examining the book rushed to a colleague and said, "Look, that Scotchman has got some one else to finish my work." "After that," said Mr. Macmillan, "it was not difficult to persuade the great scientist to complete the work quickly."

**Creatures Bones of the Earth.**

The earth is "friendly" to living creatures because in their physical nature they are bone of her bone and flesh of her flesh—her very children. Life requires an atmosphere, such as Mars and Venus have, as well as the earth, and this Bridgewater Treatise up to date declares that we cannot conceive of a better. The ocean also has maximal fitness, and this is the best of all possible worlds.

**New Word in the Language.**

In declaring that the government must protect its airpists, Arms and the Man adds a curious word to the language. The airpists make up the air corps of the army, which is subject to many fatal accidents because ill-equipped.

**New Topics of the Times.**

Stranger (returning to the old home town after several years' absence in the city)—"Well, well, well, if there isn't old Deacon Trueblood and old Si Hoskins sitting out yonder in front of Luscomb's grocery and still arguing. Haven't those old fellows ever yet settled the question of orthodox baptism?" Native—"Baptism? They ain't talkin' baptism, Bill; Si's jes' explainin' to ther deacon that ther deacon would ha' done a darn sight better gittin' an automobile like Si's instid of gittin' ther kind of one the deacon did git."—St. Louis Republic.

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**"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Cold or Grippe in a Few Hours**

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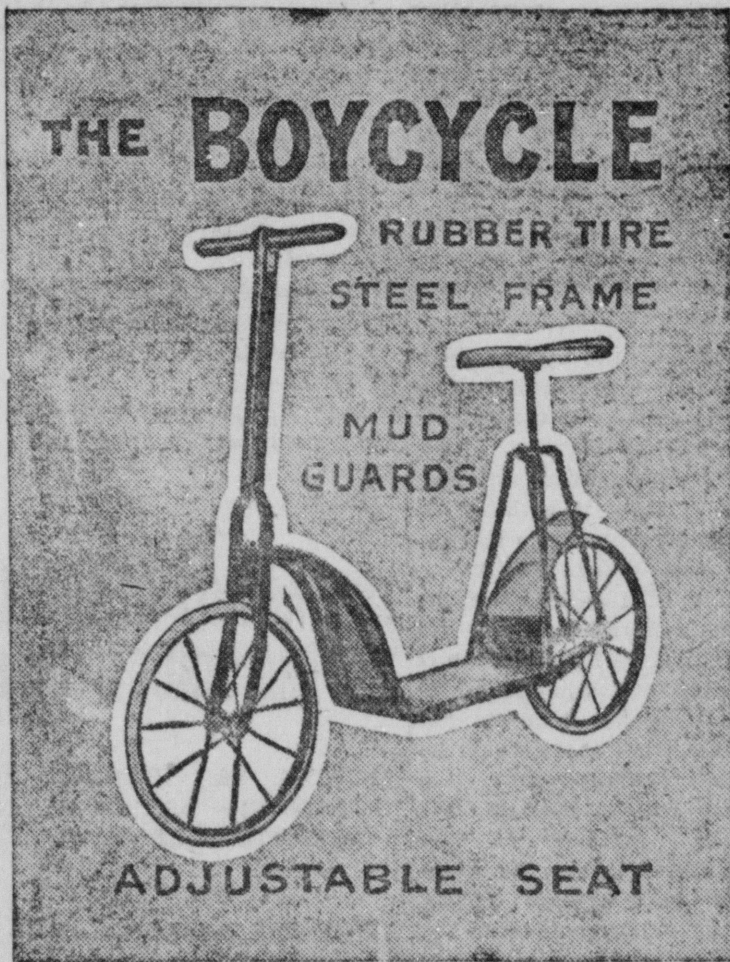
Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling. Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

Harry Hoffman was in Chicago today on business

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**A RACER, A COASTER, A TRICKCYCLE**  
**ALL THREE IN ONE**  
**ABSOLUTELY FREE TO EVERY BOY AND GIRL IN DIXON**

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**COLONY IS ASSURED TO DIXON.**

Mayor W. B. Brinton brought home positive assurance that the new state epileptic colony will be built on the site north of Dixon, and in so doing the Colonel brought home the best news that Dixon has received in—well, within the memory of a good many of us.

Our Mayor went down to Springfield to persuade the members of the administration board that the best place to locate the new institution is in Dixon. Baseball vernacular expresses it best: "He brought home the bacon," and without Mr. Brinton, Dixon would not have secured this prize.

It is true that there are certain specifications regarding the locating of the colony here which Dixon must meet, but they are so trivial compared to what the institution means to this city that they are virtually assured.

We have only a small conception of what the new state sanitarium will mean to us, but it will not be many months before we will begin to see the physical advantages. The advertising, which will amount to a great deal, will be the smallest part. Real cash is the argument that will convince the Dixon merchants and property owners that we are benefited, and there will be ample evidence of this. Realize that this will be the only epileptic colony in the state of Illinois, and that it will be built, even at first, to accommodate fifteen hundred patients. Sufferers from the ailment that the hospital is built to treat are persons of a higher class of mentality than most other institutions. The figures in the state bureau show that eighty-two per cent of them are people who have means of their own or have relatives who can give them financial support. Chairman Kern says that there will be twenty-five persons to visit patients here to one at an insane asylum. Local hotels will reap a rich harvest, as well as restaurants. One and one half millions have been appropriated by the state and are ready now, or will be available by April first, for erecting the buildings and putting in the improvements. The state also expects to add as much again another year, and the appropriations will continue to be made by the legislature as fast as the money is needed. It will take a year and a half to expend the money already appropriated if the building starts at once. This vast amount of money cannot be spent on the property at Dixon without a fair portion of it being circulated here.

A pessimist says that during the year just ended 6,380,000,000 nickels, or \$315,000,000 were spent in this country on moving picture shows, and he points out that this vast sum would have purchased 390,000 homes, or nearly 80,000 good sized farms. We claim that the six billion and some odd nickels could not have been better spent than taking the wife and kiddies to the movies. If you are going to figure on cutting down expenses, there are other places to begin. The man that begrudges those evenings at the picture show probably never saw one and has so much money that he don't know how much real fun is to be gotten out of one when a fellow can't buzz around in an auto or attend grand opera.

Our dear old grandmothers used to do most of their turkey trotting whilst chasing the cow around the barn yard straw stack at the witching hour of milking time. And they were the kind of women that made this United States of ours the grand old country that it is.

Rock Island has a man who gathers the city garbage and is glad to do it to get the food for his hogs, which he raises on a farm at the outskirts of the city. Why doesn't some enterprising man make such a proposition to the Dixon city council and save the city from a typhoid fever epidemic, as well as net himself some neat profits?


Rockford now views the world through eyes of deepest green, and Freeport, well, Freeport is prostrated. Dixon offers her deepest sympathy and sorrow (?) in this, their hour of great bereavement. But if it is any consolation to them, we'll say that we don't believe even Colonel Brinton could have persuaded the commission to locate the state institution in either Rockford or Freeport. He had some real material to work on when he offered Dixon as a location.

Do you know it is a fact that the average man will take great pains to turn out of his way to make room for a go-cart with a baby in it, and reverently lift his hat to the proud mother that is pushing it, but he will grumble if he has to be crowded off the sidewalk to avoid being trampled on by a group of heedless, dressed-up society gadders? He sees a distinction.

Freeport gave dinners, theatre parties and all sorts of entertainments for the administration board when they visited there. In Dixon the members went to the hotel for dinner and paid for their own meals, and they liked Dixon best. Dixon did not feel the need of more inducement than the merits of the location.

The Cave of Gloom

By WALT MASON



James Bonehead runs the ginseng store. His brow with gloom is clouded o'er. He used to have a decent trade, but now it's fallen and decayed. He blames his troubles on his clerks. "They are a set of idle shirks," he often says, "and that's no dream; not one of them has any steam. When I go into other stores and see the clerks skip around the floors, with vim in every move they make, I feel as though my heart would break. Why am I doomed to have employed cheap skates whose heads are but a yoid? If I had bright and active clerks you'd see my blamed old ginseng works get back the trade that once it had, and take in buck and bone and sead." James Bonehead soon might cease to fret if he would an example set; if he would hump around his shack, and smile clear round his face and back, and look and act as though he thought the world a pretty decent spot, he'd find his clerks would do the same; they'll always play the boss's game. No man with wormwood in his chest can from his hirelings get their best.

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Walt Mason

City In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slaughter of Mitchell, S. D., are visiting relatives here.

The Marquette orchestra will go to Polo this evening to furnish music for a dancing party. A number of Dixon young people expect to attend.

Carl Prestin of Sterling was here last night.

Frank Kruesel of the I. N. U. Co. went to Chicago today.

Miss Olive Bender went to Polo today for a short visit.

A. P. Armstrong went to Chicago today on business.

J. S. Hauser went to Chicago this morning.

C. H. Keyes went east this morning.

W. J. McAlpine was in Chicago today on business.

Frank H. Barnes was in Chicago yesterday on business.

General Manager Marshall of the I. N. U. went to Freeport today on business.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

This evening will close the engagement of Lester & Hines, the clever team in songs and comedy patter, and Romanelli, the violin virtuosit whose excellent work has pleased large crowds at the Family theatre this week.

Pictures tonight:

The Man Who Tried to Forget, Roaring Bell, Current Events; President Wilson at Pass Christian, Miss.; Heavy Blast Blowing Rock from River; Winter Sports; Wreck at Augusta, Ga.; Fight for Life in Raging Sea; Scenes on the Mexican Border; Fashions; Cartoonist Myer

DIXON OPERA HOUSE

Frank Winninger's big company had a large house last night and indications are for standing room only the remainder of the week. Tonight the play, Fritz in Central America, one of the varieties of musical comedies, to be presented, is a travesty on the Mexican situation, with the constant shifting of the presidency. Frank Winninger in the leading part, escapes from New York and is trailed by a detective who suspicious him of having assaulted and seriously injured a cabman. On the ship bound for Central America he meets the United States consul. The latter's status is such that he rears for dual reasons to leave the ship when it reaches port. Yellow fever is prevalent there and at the same time there is an infuriated Spanish woman, than whom there is none this United States agent fears more.

GOOD ATTENDANCE

Nineteen men attended the bible class and supper at the Y. M. C. A. last evening and evinced great interest in the course of study planned by Rev. S. E. Fisher, leader of the class.

ANOTHER STANDARD SCHOOL

Another Lee county school, the 49th, has been standardized, a diploma having been issued to school No. 115 in Reynolds township, of which Miss Matilda Pfetzing is the teacher and Otto Osborn, L. B. Miller and J. M. Nealis are the directors.

SUPREME COURT ACTS IN SUFFRAGE TEST

ALLOW MOTION OF SCOWN TO FILE BRIEFS AGAINST CHICAGO ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

(By the Associated Press)

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 4.—The supreme court of Illinois has allowed the motion of Wm. Scown, in the case against the Chicago election commissioners, which is to test the constitutionality of the Illinois women's suffrage act, to file his briefs instantler.

The Chicago election commissioners are given twenty days in which to reply.

BUYS STROUP HOUSES.

Henry Lebowich has purchased, through B. F. Downing, the Stroup houses on West First street, near the I. C. arch, and as soon as possible will remodel them, converting them into modern dwellings. They are substantially built of brick and will make desirable homes.

Mrs. Steven Scully has returned to Chicago after a visit at the John Horrigan home.

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A DAY SPENT WITH MEMORY OF LINCOLN

TWELVE YEAR OLD GIRL IN SCENES INTERESTING LETTER FROM SPRINGFIELD

The following letter, written by the twelve year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hatch of Decatur, to her grandmother, Mrs. Andrew Hatch of East Chamberlain St., this city, is really a very interesting little story of an interesting visit, and is also quite a remarkably well written letter for a lass of her years. It follows:

Springfield, Ill.,

Dear Grandma:

I have been in Springfield for a few days. I came Wednesday and am going back today. I got here about 4 o'clock and the next morning was New Years, so we couldn't go anywhere. That morning we made candy. The next day we went to Lincoln's monument and that afternoon we went to his home. It is wonderful to see tables that he used to spread his law books on and chairs he used to sit in, but what impressed me most was a piece of the actresses' dress, the leading lady, in the play, and she ran and held his head and there were blood stains on the dress from Lincoln's head. I sat a long time at Daniel Webster's chair and signed my name at Lincoln's desk. I sat on the sofa that Lincoln courted his wife on. I saw the buffet that held their wedding cakes. I saw some ornaments and a lamp that was given to them on their wedding. I saw his tomb. And on the monument are groups made of cannons of the war. One statue on it of Lincoln weighed over 4,000 lbs. and that was hollow inside. Some of the others weighed even more than that. We are going down town early this afternoon and I am going to the capital building. I saw it yesterday, but didn't go into it. I will close for now. Write to me. I am going home this afternoon.

Your affectionate granddaughter,  
RUTH HATCH.

**SCHOOL BOARD MEETS.**

The regular meeting of the board of education of the south side public schools will be held this evening at the office of E. W. Smith.

**SENTENCE LITTAURES FOR SMUGGLING JEWELRY IN U. S.**

(By the Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 4.—Lucius Littauer, the former congressman, and his brother William were each sentenced to six months in jail and fined \$100 for smuggling jewelry into the United States. Judge Thomas, the presiding jurist, suspended the jail sentence, taking into consideration the ill health of Lucius Littauer and also the fact that the defendants have already paid the government \$14,000 in fines. Both defendants were severely grilled by the court.

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## AMERICANS FEAR RIOTS IN MEXICO

O'Shaughnessy Tells Them of Embargo Lifting and Many Rush for Vera Cruz.

## HUERTA SAYS NO DANGER

Threats of Rioting Against U. S. Citizens is Heard, But All Are Regarded Safe—Rebel Leaders Praise U. S. for Aiding Them.

City of Mexico, Feb. 4.—Charge Nelson O'Shaughnessy was instructed to inform all foreigners, as well as Mexicans, of the lifting of the embargo against the importation of arms from the United States. The foreign minister, Moseno, immediately went to see General Huerta. He had been asked if Mr. O'Shaughnessy would be handed his passports. He said: "That is not known. It depends on the president's views."

Foreigners are excited and an American exodus is probable. Many Americans planned to leave the capital for Vera Cruz, the only port by which they can leave the country. Reservations on trains were so numerous as to necessitate extra cars. Mrs. O'Shaughnessy will remain with her husband at the embassy.

### Huerta Delays Statement.

President Huerta delayed making a statement either to the public or the foreign diplomatic representatives. His attitude is one of doubt, although many are relying on his assurance a few days ago that such action as lifting the arms embargo would not alter his attitude toward Americans or Charge O'Shaughnessy. That he will make any direct statement to the American charge is not certain, as Mr. O'Shaughnessy had no part in notifying him of the new move of the president of the United States.

Those who predict that the Mexican people calmly will accept the attitude of the United States point to the fact that the sentiment of the people has changed so much in the last few months that they will secretly applaud President Wilson's action instead of manifesting disapproval by assailing resident Americans.

President Huerta talked over the telephone with Senor Moseno regarding the arms affair, and later the foreign minister was summoned to the president's office for a conference.

Jose Vera Estanol, a brother of Jorge Vera Estanol, minister of public instruction in the Madero cabinet, was arrested during the day and sent to the penitentiary.

Carranza Made Friend of U. S. Culiacan, Feb. 4.—General Carranza has received confirmation of the lifting of the embargo against importing arms from the United States. In reply to a question as to what effect it would have, he said:

"Huerta has been saying that we have been helped by the United States government to fight him. Up to this time we have had nothing but difficulties on the part of the United States with regard to the importation of arms and ammunition. "I have now been advised that the government of the United States is permitting us the free importation of arms. Very soon Huerta will see the difference in the activity of our forces as compared with the past."

"The Mexican people are satisfied with this act of justice on the part of the United States government. The war will not be prolonged much further, but will end in the complete triumph of our cause. This action will also bind more closely the friendly relations of the two nations."

### Villa Sees War's End.

Juarez, Feb. 4.—"The Mexican war will not last much longer," said Gen. Francisco Villa and other rebel leaders, on learning that President Wilson had lifted the embargo against the shipment of arms and ammunition into Mexico.

A warning was issued by General Villa that all Spaniards captured in the Torreón campaign would be summarily dealt with. He added he had proof that Spaniards in Torreón had taken up arms against the rebels, and that all these would be shot. Others would be banished from the country. "In this connection," said Villa, "let me say that Americans may have no fear. I regard the high dignity with which Americans have conducted themselves during this revolution as a friendly act toward our cause. I feel the deepest friendship toward the United States. All American property will be protected."

### Judge Speer Still on Bench.

Macon, Ga., Feb. 4.—Judge Emory Speer presided over a session of the United States district court, occupying the bench for the first time since the impeachment charges were filed against him last August. This action of his created much surprise among the Macon lawyers, who had understood that he would not hold court any more while the charges against him were pending.

### Boy, Aged Two, Is Sent by Mail.

Wellington, Kan., Feb. 4.—Mrs. E. H. Staley received her two-year-old nephew by parcel post from his grandmother in Stratford, Okla., where he had been left for a visit three weeks ago. It cost 18 cents to send the boy through the mails.

## HOUSE HITS ANTI-JAP LEGISLATION

Raker's Substitute and Hayes Amendment for Asiatic Exclusion Are Badly Defeated.

## BRYAN MEN ARE JUBILANT

Members Who Co-operated With Secretary of State in Effort to Suppress Move Highly Pleased—Mann Given Credit.

Washington, Feb. 4.—"If war should come with Japan," said Minority Leader Mann in an earnest plea to the house against the Burnett immigration bill, "I should not shrink from it. But I think now is the time to keep cool. I do not expect to vote for this bill, and I do not think any of these amendments should be agreed to at this time. The matter of our foreign relations is one of extreme delicacy at best."

"While I have no especial admiration for our present state department policy, it is my duty to assist in preserving the harmonious relations which exist between our own and other governments. We of the Republican side as well as those of the Democratic side, all of us owe allegiance to our country."

### Kentuckian Thanks Mann.

Representative Sherley of Kentucky thanked Mann for what he termed "an expression of a real party leader."

Pleading with the Democrats of the house to uphold a substitute which he offered for the Asiatic exclusion amendment, proposed by Representative Hayes, Representative Raker of California declared that he would rather hand in his resignation and go home than fail to vote for Asiatic exclusion.

### Amendment Is Rigorous.

Raker's substitute for the Hayes amendment strikes out all direct reference to the Mongolian, Malay and negro races. It barred all Asiatic laborers except those from Turkey in Asia, and those whose immigration into the United States is now regulated by existing arrangements as to passports.

The Raker substitute for Asiatic exclusion was defeated by a vote of 5 to 182.

### Amendment Voted Down.

The Hayes amendment next was rejected by a vote of 54 to 203. This marked the end of all Asiatic exclusion at this session of congress. The Burnett bill, it was stated, now will go through in its original form with no mention of Asiatic exclusion.

Members who have been co-operating with Secretary of State Bryan in his attempt to suppress this legislation were jubilant at the showing made. Much of the credit for the decisive defeat of anti-Japanese legislation was given to Minority Leader Mann, who was said to have turned the tide with his non-partisan appeal to the house.

## FIGHTS FOR JOHN D.'S TAX

Ohio Officials File Demand on Oil Magnate to Pay on \$900,000,000.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 4.—Demands made upon John D. Rockefeller by Tax Commissioners Fackler and Annew that he pay taxes in this county on about \$900,000,000 worth of personal property will be fought to a finish in the courts, according to Rockefeller's attorneys. The tax commissioners hold Rockefeller is a resident of this county, while his counsel say he is a resident of New York.

Virgil J. Kline, Mr. Rockefeller's attorney, said the millionaire has paid taxes for the current year in New York and added:

"Mr. Rockefeller was detained here by sickness in his family this winter, but does this make him a resident of this county? I guess not."

## MINERS TO ASK MORE WAGES

Five Cent Increase Per Ton Decision of Indianapolis Convention.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 4.—A flat increase of five cents a ton on a mine run basis, a ten per cent. increase on all dead work, yardage, and for day laborers, and a half holiday on Saturdays were the principal recommendations of the scale committee submitted to the convention of the United Mine Workers of America. The report is the basis for work of the joint conference of miners and operators of the central competitive field, which meets in Philadelphia next Tuesday. This field includes Illinois, Ohio, Indiana and western Pennsylvania. The recommendations of the scale committee were adopted without change.

## BACK WILSON ON SUFFRAGE

House Democrats Say It Is State Issue.

Washington, Feb. 4.—House Democrats in caucus sustained President Wilson in his position that female suffrage is a state and not a federal issue. By a decisive vote of 127 to 53 they adopted a resolution referring the question back to the states and refused congressional action.

### G. D. Perkins, Editor, Is Dead.

Sioux City, Iowa, Feb. 4.—George D. Perkins, editor and publisher of the Journal, died here.

## MRS. CHARLES K. DRURY



Mrs. Drury is a daughter of Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. William C. Redfield and has been visiting them in Washington, where she has been extensively entertained. Her home is in Montreal.

## MANY WOMEN REGISTER

Female Voters Outnumber Men in Chicago.

153,897 Now Eligible to Vote in Aldermanic Primaries February 24.

Chicago, Feb. 4.—Chicago women—153,897 of them by the count of the police returns as compiled today—registered and qualified as legal voters under the new Illinois suffrage act. About 3,000 women are included in the total of 437,346 voters on the old registry lists, making a total of about 157,000 women eligible to vote in the aldermanic primaries February 24.

The total number of men who registered was 85,161. It is believed that the revision of the registry on Saturday evening will show a net loss of about 10,000 in the total number of men voters.

Adding the total number of new women voters to the former registry total, minus 10,000, the total revised registration figures on Saturday night will amount to approximately 580,000. This is nearly 100,000 less than the total number of registered voters in New York city. The total unregistered registration now is 676,404.

Galesburg, Ill., Feb. 4.—Not content with waiting for regular registration day, March 17, the women of this city have been registering by affidavit so that they can take part in the primaries, and with one day more for such registration they have 3,035 registered votes out of a possible 5,000 eligibles, and it is probable that by night a majority of those unregistered will be enrolled.

Dixon, Ill., Feb. 4.—The big local option fight is on again in Dixon. The local committee under the direction of Rev. Fred D. Stone of the First Methodist Episcopal church filed with the town clerk, Frank Palmer, the petition of the "drys." It contained the names of 600 women and 400 men voters, the result of a house to house canvass by the women workers.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 4.—The New Jersey house of assembly after a protracted debate adopted by 49 to 4 a resolution to amend the state constitution by allowing women to vote. The measure now goes to the senate.

## 300 ARE SLAIN IN FIGHT

Serious Riots Feared If Defeated Army Enters Cape Haitien.

Port au Prince, Haiti, Feb. 4.—Three hundred men of the rival revolutionaries were killed in their battle at Gonaives, according to advices received here. The adherents of Senator Davilmar Theodore were defeated by the followers of Gen. Orestes Zamor, who proclaimed himself chief executive of the republic.

Cape Haitien, Feb. 4.—Serious disorder is feared in Cape Haitien when Senator Davilmar Theodore with his defeated army reaches this city, to which he is retreating from Gonaives. At a meeting of the consular corps it was decided that Senator Theodore may re-enter the city, but that his army may not come with him. The answer has been returned from the retreating column that the army will enter regardless of the consular edict.

### Vanderbilt Yacht Afloat Again.

New York, Feb. 4.—Frederick W. Vanderbilt's yacht Warrior, which went aground recently off the coast of Colombia, has been floated and is being towed to Jamaica, according to word received at the maritime exchange.

### Breaks an Endurance Record.

Johannesburg, Feb. 4.—In an aeroplane flight here the Aviator Brundlanger remained aloft fourteen hours and seven minutes, breaking the former world's endurance record held by Fourny, which was thirteen hours and eighteen minutes.

## NEW TRADE BODY BILL

House Committee to Reject Clayton Measure.

Seth Low Presents Draft of New Act That Is Less Drastic—Trust Lawyers Willing to Obey.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The interstate commerce committee of the house heard a delegation from the National Civic Federation, headed by Seth Low, who submitted a tentative draft of an interstate bill, while the house judiciary committee examined several witnesses on the various pending trust measures. The commerce committee indicated a disposition to discard the pending Clayton bill entirely and proceed to formulate a new trade commission measure.

Witnesses before the house judiciary committee included Felix H. Levy, an attorney of New York, who objected to pending bills on the ground that, "as it now stands, clarified by thousands of court decisions, the Sherman law accomplishes all that is sought in the proposed supplemental legislation." He declared that trust magnates and corporation lawyers generally recognized the efficiency of the law and were hopeless of evading it. This was the explanation, he added, of the "surrender" of numerous great organizations under fire by the department of justice.

Mr. Low contended that the pending Clayton bill would give the commission too drastic powers of search of corporations. The federation's bill would define just what information gathered should be made public. Limited publicity was the keynote of his recommendations.

Plans for placing a rural credits bill on the administration legislative program were tentatively agreed on by the house Democratic leaders.

Early action in the house on the Shackleford federal good roads bill, appropriating \$25,000,000 for federal aid to the states in building post roads, also is contemplated.

## NO RAIL RATE ADVANCE

Commission Decides Against Five Per Cent. Boost.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The interstate commerce commission made an important announcement in regard to the advance freight rate case. The commission made it clear that it will not grant the five per cent. increase asked by the railroads until it has conducted an inquiry into the practice of the carriers granting allowances and free service to certain classes of shippers. The commission is determined to have the railroads stop all unnecessary leaks before it will impose the burden of a general increase on all shippers. Commissioner Harlan made the announcement.

## HOPPE RETAINS CUE TITLE

Outplays George Sutton, 500 to 226, in Championship Match.

New York, Feb. 4.—Willie Hoppe again proved that he is the world's greatest cue master at the Hotel Astor when he successfully defended his title for the 18-2 balk line billiard championship against the challenger, George Sutton of Chicago. Hoppe won by a score of 500 to 226, in 17 innings. His average was 29.7-17 and his high runs were 90, 70, and 65. Hoppe led all the way and there was never a time that the veteran was dangerous. Sutton made the high run of the match, gathering a collection of 123 in the fifteenth inning, when he was hopelessly beaten.

## ANNETTE KELLERMAN HURT

Swimmer and Teammate Drown Across Edges of Broken Tank.

Hamilton, Bermuda, Feb. 4.—While giving a performance in the Bermuda aquarium, Annette Kellerman, the Australian swimmer, and Herbert Brennon sustained severe injuries owing to the bursting of a glass tank containing 8,000 gallons of water. The tremendous rush of water sucked the occupants across the jagged edges of the glass. Miss Kellerman was badly lacerated on the left side, while Brennon was gashed seriously on the arms and legs.

## GUILTY OF SMUGGLING GEMS

New York Man and His Brother Plead Guilty of Bringing in Jewelry.

New York, Feb. 4.—Lucius N. Littauer, formerly a member of congress, and William Littauer, his brother, of Gloversville, N. Y., pleaded guilty in federal court to conspiracy to smuggle jewelry valued at \$40,000 into this country. Sentence was suspended until today. The Littauers paid \$14,000 customs duties in settlement of a civil action.

### Try to Delay Unmerger Suit.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Attorney General McReynolds was requested by a delegation of California congressmen to postpone filing a suit to part the Southern Pacific and the Central Pacific railroads. The dissolution bill probably will not be filed until a hearing is given to western business men.

### Yuan Issues Drastic Order.

Peking, Feb. 4.—President Yuan Shi Kai issued an order which dissolved all district councils in the Chinese provinces.

## HARMON NEWS ITEMS

Harmon, Feb. 3.—T. P. Long returned Friday from a visit of a few days with friends in Dixon.

John Considine was a Dixon visitor Thursday.

John Wolfe who has been seriously ill, is reported better.

Benjamin Aument, who has been working in Rock Falls the past month, returned to his home Thursday.

Fred Kelly was a Harmon caller from Hamilton Wednesday.

Clifford Poisel was a Harmon caller Wednesday on business.

Theodore Horn and family moved to Amboy last week.

Little Georgia Cox and brother left Wednesday for Oregon, Ill., where they will make their home with their father.

Thomas Long of Sterling was here last week for a visit with his brother R. W. Long and family.

Mrs. J. B. Long was a Dixon caller Wednesday.

Mrs. Peter Blackburn who has been sick, is slightly improved.

Ed Dowd went to Chicago Friday for an over Sunday visit with his children who are being cared for by Mr. Dowd's sister, Mrs. Thos. Burns, since the death of their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy were Sterling callers Saturday.

Fred McGill has resigned his position as bartender for Dan Leonard.

John Loden of Walton was in Harmon visiting relatives last week.

Ernest Drew who has been visiting relatives here the past two weeks went to Amboy Saturday where he will visit a short time before to his home in Minnesota.

James Morrissey was a business caller in Sterling Saturday.

R. M. Long went to Sterling Saturday to transact business.

Chester Beall of Iowa came here on Tuesday to take charge of the Neola elevator until the new manager, Mr. Coe, arrives.

G. F. Brooks was a business caller in Dixon last Saturday.

J. T. Williams left Tuesday morning for Hazeville, Ia., where he has accepted the position of manager for the Neola Lumber Co.

Happy Ryan and Owen Compton, were Sterling callers Tuesday.

August Jansen was a Dixon caller on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kugler are keeping house for Edward Dowd in the latter's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Perkins and baby spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Perkins' parents in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Brien Jr., visited relatives here the past week.

Miss Theodosia Brooks went Monday morning to assume the duties of teacher at the Shaw school, the former teacher having resigned.

Will Smith was a passenger to Dixon on business Friday.

Fred McGill was a passenger to Dixon Thursday.

Mrs. Oliver Gehant of West Brooklyn came Friday for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blackburn.

Mrs. Hugh Bradley was a passenger to Amboy Friday evening for a short visit with friends.

Miss Mayme Simpson went to Amboy Friday night returning Saturday evening.

Miss Ada Dewey was a passenger to Sterling Friday to shop.

## Soda For Gas, Acid Stomach or Indigestion

Gas, Gas, Gas—When everything eaten turns to gas and we eructate sour food and acid fluids it means we are troubled with acidity, says a noted authority. An excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach starts food fermentation and prevents complete digestion. Then our meals sour in the stomach like garbage sours in a can, forming gases which inflate the stomach like a toy balloon, causing a heavy, lumpy misery in the chest; we belch gas, have sour risings, heartburn, flatulence, water-brash and nausea.

He tells us to put aside all digestive aids and instead get from any pharmacy a package of 10 grain Sodagen tablets and take one tablet anytime followed by a tumbler of water which will instantly neutralize acidity; stop fermentation, absorb the gases and sweeten the entire digestive tract.

He further states that those men and women troubled with chronic acidity and its resulting indigestion, Sourness and Gases should take one 10 grain Sodagen tablet regularly after meals for a period as 2.5 antacid is harmless, being composed of Soda, Magnesia and Calcium Carbonate U. S. P.



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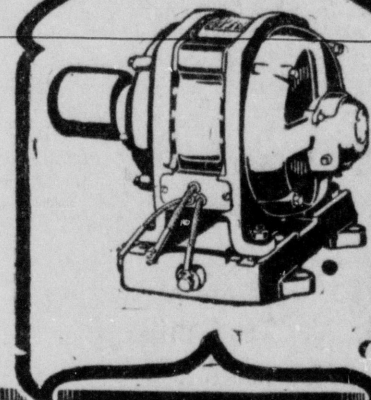
The life story of every big modern plant begins in a small shop. For a manufactory or a business, or a man, is a growth, not a creation.

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Miss Stella Long has been on the sick list.

Thomas Ryan Jr., who has been visiting his friends here for the past week, left for his home in Marion, Ind.

Mrs. F. H. Kugler entertained Rev. Green at Sunday dinner.

Mesdames W. H. Kugler and D. P. Hill were entertained Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Parker.

Messrs John and George Long were business callers in Sterling on Thursday.

Ed O'Brien was a caller in Rock Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herren and Miss Minnie Herren of Rock Falls, spent Sunday with his parents.

August Jansen is preparing to move to his future home in North Dakota where he has bought a farm. The sale of Frank Burns last Friday was well attended, and everything sold well.

Clyde Wise will have his sale on Feb. 4th and will move in a short time to his future home in North Dakota where he has purchased a farm.

G. F. Brooks attended the Woodlawn sale in Sterling Tuesday.

Miss Anna Talty went to Dixon on Wednesday to visit relatives and to shop.

Messrs Ed Long, Edward McCormick and Erve Kelchner went to Dixon Wednesday on business.

Hugh Camery who has been sick, is reported better.

R. W. Long who has been under the doctor's care, is improving.

Mrs. W. W. Smith who has been sick, is better.

A complete printed financial statement of St. Flannan's church for 1913, was given to each member of the parish Sunday Feb. 1, '14.

W. W. Edson had his corn shelled Saturday and delivered to a local market.

The roads are reported in bad condition for hauling or driving.

Miss Esther Ross visited the intermediate room Friday.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

John Walters Jr. to Geo E Garrett wd \$5 lots 4 and 5 blk 9 Hicks add Ashton.

Emma Mosely to James H Fortney wd \$840 lot 13 blk 16 Wyman's add Amboy.

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Waukegan, Ill., Feb. 4.—Judge Charles Donnelly fined the five Volo women \$100 each on the charge of riot in connection with their riding Mrs. John Richardson on a rail last fall. He gave them time to go home and arrange for the money, but added that if they did not pay within a reasonable time they should be incarcerated in jail.

## Death Calls Old-Time Boxer.

Utica, N. Y., Feb. 4.—Joseph H. Cole, former well-known pugilist, died here. He was manager and sparring partner for Joe Coburn, one-time American champion, and John C. Heenan.

## Dutch Warship at Canal Opening.

The Hague, Feb. 4.—The Netherlands government decided to send a Dutch warship to take part in the ceremonies at the opening of the Panama canal.

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## SYNOPSIS.

Kirk Anthony, son of a rich man, with college friends, gets into a fracas in a New York resort. A detective is hurt. Jefferson Locke insinuates himself into the college men's party.

Locke, aided by Kirk's friend Higgins, who thinks it a joke, drags Kirk and puts him aboard a ship bound for Colon. Kirk is on the passenger list as Locke.

"Broke" and without baggage, aboard the ship Kirk makes the acquaintance of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cortlandt.

Kirk's father repudiates him, and Weeks casts him out as an impostor. Kirk meets Allan, a Jamaican negro canal worker out of a job. The two are arrested by Colon police for helping to put out a fire.

Kirk and Allan are treated brutally in a Colon jail by young Alfarez, commandant of police. Allan's release is obtained by the British consul, but Weeks refuses to aid Kirk. Mrs. Cortlandt gets a phone call.

Mrs. Cortlandt obtains Kirk's release by using influence with Colonel Jolson, head of the canal. The Cortlandts are intriguing to make Alfarez's father president of Panama.

Kirk's father casts him off finally, and Mrs. Cortlandt obtains for him a position on the Panama railroad under Runnels, master of transportation.

The Cortlandts and Kirk plan a picnic on the island of Taboga, near Panama. Cortlandt is detained and his wife and Kirk are marooned on the island.

Kirk kisses Mrs. Cortlandt and is then ashamed to think he has violated Cortlandt's trust in him. Cortlandt, alarmed by his wife's absence, rescues her and Kirk from the island. In the country near Panama Kirk meets a charming Spanish girl.

The girl tells him her name is "Chiquita." He learns later that that means only "little one." Kirk begins his work. Mrs. Cortlandt has learned who Jefferson Locke is.

## CHAPTER XII.

### The Path That Led Nowhere.

WHEN "Senor Antonio" awoke the next morning he lay for an instant striving to recall what it was that had haunted his sleeping hours, what great event awaited him. Then as it rushed through his mind he leaped out of bed. This was tomorrow! But the afternoon was still a long way off, and he must be content to dream until the hour came.

It was the hottest part of the day when he set out, gun on arm, yet he never thought of the discomfort. After skirting the city he swung into the fine macadam road that had brought him home the night before, and much sooner than he expected he arrived at the little path that led into the forest. As upon the previous day, he broke into the glade before he suspected its presence. There was the tree from which she had called to him, yonder the bench where they had sat together.

Of course he was too early. He wanted to be in order not to miss an instant of her company, so he seated himself and dreamed about her. The minutes dragged. The jungle drowsed. An hour passed. Why didn't she come? A sudden apprehension overtook him, which grew and grew as the afternoon wore away.

It was a very miserable young man who wandered out through the fragrant path as the first evening shadows settled and bent his dejected steps toward the city. Evidently something had occurred to prevent her keeping her tryst, but he determined to return on the morrow and then if she did not come to follow that other path right up to her house, which must be near the pool. He would risk everything for a word with her. He wondered if she had stayed away purposely to test him, and the thought gave him a thrill. If so she would soon learn that he was in earnest. He resolved to go hunting earlier hereafter and give the whole day to it. Meanwhile he would make cautious inquiries.

It was considerably after dark when he reached the hotel, and his friends had dined, but he encountered Mr. Cortlandt later. If Edith's husband suspected anything of what had occurred a night or two ago his countenance gave no sign of it. For some reason or other Kirk had not been troubled in the slightest by the thought that Cortlandt might be told. He could not imagine Edith making him the confidant of her outraged feelings. Besides, would such a strangely impassive person resent any little indiscretion in which his wife might choose to indulge? Kirk did not know. The man was a puzzle to him.

Cortlandt's voice was thoroughly noncommittal as he inquired:

"Where have you been keeping yourself?"

"I've been hunting to kill time."

"By the way," continued the other, "your friend Allan has been besieging Edith imploring her to use her influence to get him a position. He has set his heart upon going to work with

you."

"He is becoming a positive nuisance; I can't get rid of him."

"I never saw such hero worship."

"Oh, all niggers are hysterical."

"Let me give you a bit of advice, Anthony. Remember, there are no 'niggers' and 'whites' in this country—they are both about equal. The president of the republic is a black man, and a very good one too."

"That reminds me. I hear he is to be succeeded by the father of my friend, Alfarez."

Cortlandt hesitated. "General Alfarez is a candidate. He is a very strong man, but—"

"I am glad there is a 'but.'"

"It isn't settled, by any means. The successful candidate will need the support of our government."

"I suppose the Alfarez family is one of the first settlers—Mayflower stock?"

"Oh, worse than that. The name runs back to Balboa's time."

"What are some of the other leading families?"

"There are a number. The Martinizes, the Morns, the Garavels—I couldn't name them all. They are very fine people too."

"Do you know the Chiquitas?"

Cortlandt's face relaxed in an involuntary smile.

"There is no such family. Who has been teaching you Spanish?"

"Really, isn't there?"

"Chiquita means 'very small,' 'little one,' 'little girl' or something like that. It's not a family name. It's a term of endearment usually. What made you take it for a proper name?"

"A little girl told me."

"Oh, naturally. All children are 'Chiquitas' or 'Chiquitos'—everything, in fact, that is a pet."

Kirk felt somewhat uncomfortable under the older man's gaze of quiet amusement.

"But these other families," he went on in some confusion, "I mean the ones like those you just mentioned, they sometimes intermarry with Americans, don't they?"

"No, not the better class. There have been a few instances, I believe, but for the most part they keep to themselves."

"How would a fellow set about meeting the nice people?"

"He wouldn't. He would probably live here indefinitely and never see the inside of a Panamanian house."

"But there must be some way," the young man exclaimed in desperation.

"There must be dances, parties"—

"Of course, but Americans are not invited. The men are easy to get acquainted with, charming, courteous, gentlemen, but I dare say you will leave Panama without so much as meeting their wives or sisters. But why this consuming curiosity? Has some senorita struck your fancy?"

In spite of his effort to appear unconcerned Kirk felt that he looked abominably self-conscious. Without waiting for a reply Cortlandt continued to give him information as if he enjoyed it.

"I suppose one reason why so few Americans marry Panamanians is that our men like at least to get acquainted with their brides before marriage, and that is impossible in this country. A man never sees a girl alone, you know. When he calls to court her he woos the whole family, who vote on him, so to speak."

Kirk suddenly realized to the full how egregious his request to call must have appeared to the Spanish girl. What a fool he had been, to be sure! For a moment he lost himself in a contemplation of the difficulties so unexpectedly presented. He was brought to himself by the words:

"Tomorrow you will go to work."

"What's that?" he broke forth in a panic. "I can't go to work tomorrow. I'm going hunting."

Cortlandt eyed him curiously.

"I didn't say tomorrow. I said Runnels phoned that he would be ready for you day after tomorrow. What is the matter with you? Have you lost your head over shooting, or don't you care to work?"

"Oh, neither," he said hastily. "I merely misunderstood you. Of course the sooner the better."

"Yes, as you say, the sooner the better," said Cortlandt, with a shade of meaning. "Well, good night and good luck to you in your shooting."

It was with much less self assurance that Kirk set out again on the next morning, for this was his last day of grace, and he realized that unless he accomplished something definite it might be a considerable time before he could continue his quest. In view of what the girl had said regarding her engagement delays seemed particularly dangerous.

He haunted the vicinity of the meeting place all the morning, but no one

came, and a heavy shower at midday drove him into the palm thatched hut for shelter. When it had passed he put an end to his indecision and boldly took the other path. At least he would find out where she lived and who she was. But once again he was disappointed. The trail led out through the grove to the rain drenched pasture, where it disappeared. Instead of one house he saw three, half hidden in foliage and all facing in the opposite direction. They stood upon the crest of a hill fronting the road, and he realized that the pool might be the bathing place for the inmates of one or all of them. He went to all three, but nowhere did he see the girl or the Barbadian woman; nowhere did he receive an intelligible answer to his questions.

Whether the girl had been playing with him or whether she had been prevented from keeping her word was of little moment now. He loved her, and he intended to have her.

He was detailed to ride No. 2, which left Panama at 6:35, returning on No. 7, which arrived at 7 p. m. For a few days he made the run in company with the train collector, whose position he was destined to fill, and, as the duties were by no means difficult, he quickly mastered them.

He was glad of his new found independence, moreover, for, though it did not cancel his obligation to the Cortlandts, it made him feel less keenly. Certainly he could not complain of a lack of incident in his new life. On his first trip to Colon and back he had nine disputes and two fights and threw one man off—a record achievement, he was told, for a beginner.

A further diversion was furnished by Allan, who appeared early in the morning and all but assaulted the gatekeeper, who refused to let him pass without a ticket. It took the entire station force to prevent him from starting for Colon as Kirk's guest. He considered it a matter of course that his friend should offer him the courtesies of the road, and he went away at last, woefully disappointed, but not discouraged.

On the evening of that eventful day, instead of returning to his new quarters, Kirk proceeded to walk the streets in search of a certain face. He strolled through the plazas; he dived in front of the most pretentious residences; he tramped wearily back and forth through dim lit, narrow streets, gazing up at windows and balconies, harkening for the tone of a voice or the sound of a girl's laughter. But he was without the slightest success, and it was very late when he finally retired, to dream, as usual, of Chiquita.

Several days passed, and he began to feel a little dull. He was making no progress in his quest, and he did feel the lack of congenial society. Then one evening there came a note from Edith Cortlandt briefly requesting him to come and see her.

Promptly at 8 o'clock he presented himself.

"I'm a laboring man now," he said as he stood before her, "and I usually hold my cap in my hand and shuffle my feet when talking to ladies. Pray excuse my embarrassment."

She did not respond to the lightness of his tone. Her glance seemed intended to warn him that she meant to be serious.

"I suppose you are wondering why I sent for you. I've discovered who Jefferson Locke is."

"No! Who is he?" Kirk was instantly all attention. He had almost forgotten Locke.

"His real name is Frank Weller, and he is an absconder. He was a broker's clerk in St. Louis, and he made off with something like \$80,000 in cash."

"Good heavens!" said Anthony. "How did you find out?"

"A bundle of New York papers. They came today."

"Where did they catch him?"

"They haven't caught him. He has disappeared completely. That's the strangest part of it. Your detective didn't die after all. But I can't understand why the police haven't discovered your whereabouts. You left New York openly under the name of Locke."

"Perhaps it was so easy they overlooked it," he smiled ruefully. "I'd hate to be arrested just now when I'm getting to be such a good conductor."

"Don't worry about that until the time comes. I'll get you the papers later."

He began to feel embarrassed. It seemed to be his fate to receive benefits at this woman's hand whether he willed it or not.

"I must go now, but first I want to make you feel how grateful I am for your kindness and for your continued trust in me. I haven't deserved it, I know, but—"

He turned as if to leave, but faced her again as he heard her pronounce his name. He was surprised to see that there were tears in her eyes.

"Kirk," she said, "you're an awfully good sort, and I can't stay angry with you."

"You're tremendously good," he answered, really touched. "I can't say anything except that I'll try to be worthy of your kindness."

She gave him a half distressed look, then smiled brightly.

"We won't talk of it any more," she said—"ever. Now do sit down and tell me what you have been doing all this time. How have you been getting along with your work?"

"All right, except one morning when I overslept."

In the days that followed he tried his very best to make good on his job. Every evening he had to himself he spent in search of the Spanish girl. Aside from his inability to find her and an occasional moment of misgiving at the thought of Frank Weller, alias Jefferson Locke, Kirk had but one wor-

ry, and that was caused by Allan. Never a day passed that the worshipful black boy did not fairly bound him with his attentions; never a nightly journey down into the city that Allan did not either accompany him or, failing permission to do so, follow him at a safe distance. For a time Anthony rebelled at this espionage, but the constant effort of refusal grew tiresome after awhile, especially as the Jamaican did just as he pleased anyhow, and Kirk ended by letting him have his way.

He turned up regularly every day on Kirk's trains without money to pay his fare. Becoming really concerned lest he should be accused of withholding fare, Kirk spoke to Runnels about Allan, explaining fully, whereupon a watch was set, with the result that on the very next morning Allan was chased out of the railroad yards by an unfeeling man with a club. He was waiting when the train pulled in that evening, glued to the iron bars, his eyes showing as white in the gloom as his expansive grin of welcome.

For several days this procedure was repeated with variations until the dreadful threat of arrest put an end to it. Allan had conceived a wholesome respect for Spiggoty police, and for a few days thereafter Kirk was rid of him. Then one morning he reappeared as usual in one of the forward coaches and proudly, triumphantly, displayed a ticket, exclaiming:

"It is of no avail to prevent me, boss!"

"That ticket is good only to Corozal, the first station. You'll have to get off there." But when Corozal had been passed he found Allan still comfortably ensconced in his seat.

"Now, boss, we shall have fine times today," the negro predicted warmly, and Kirk did not have the heart to eject him.

At the other end of the line Allan repeated the process, and thereafter worked diligently to amass sufficient money to buy tickets from Panama to Corozal and from Colon to Mount Hope, relying with splendid faith upon his friend to protect him once he penetrated past the lynx eyed gatekeeper.

Runnels accepted Kirk's explanation, and so far exceeded his authority as to make no objection. Allan, therefore, managed to spend about half his time in company with the object of his adoration.

Although the master of transportation never referred to his conversation with Kirk on the occasion of their trip through Culabra cut, he watched his new subordinate carefully, and he felt his instinctive liking for him increase. It gave Runnels pleasure to see how he attended to his work once he had settled down to it.

Accordingly, it afforded him an unpleasant surprise when he received a printed letter from a St. Louis detective agency relative to one Frank Weller, alias Jefferson Locke (last seen in New York city Nov. 25) and offering a substantial reward for information leading to his arrest. The communication reached Runnels through the usual channel, copies having been distributed to the heads of various departments. It was the description that caught his attention:

"White; age, twenty-eight years; occupation, clerk; eyes, bluish gray; hair, light, shading upon yellow; complexion, fair; height, six feet; weight, 190 pounds. No prominent scars or marks, so far as known, but very particular as to personal appearance and considered a good athlete, having been captain of U. of K. football team."

There was but one man in Runnels' department whose appearance tallied with all this. Nevertheless he held the letter on his desk and did nothing for a time except to question his new collector upon the first occasion. The result was not at all reassuring. A few days later, chancing to encounter John Weeks on his way across the isthmus, he recalled Kirk's mention of his first experience at Colon.

"Anthony? Oh, yes," wheezed the fat man. "I see you've got him at work. There's something about him I don't understand. Either he's on the level or he's got the nerve of a burglar."

"How so?"

"Well, I know he isn't what he claims to be. I have proof. He's no more Darwin K. Anthony's son than—"

"Darwin K. Anthony!" exclaimed the railroad man, in amazement. "Did he claim that?"

"He did, and he"—The speaker checked himself with admirable diplomatic caution. "Say, he's taught me one thing, and that is that it doesn't pay to butt into other people's business. I played him to lose, and he won, and I got into a fine mess over it. Alfarez lost his job for arresting him."

"You'll get your money. Anthony told me he'd square up on pay day."

Weeks snorted at this. "Why, I've got it already. I've been paid. Mrs. Cortlandt sent me her check." He winked one red eye in a manner that set Runnels to thinking deeply.

(To Be Continued)

## WALTON NEWS

Walton, Feb. 2.—A birthday party in honor of Miss Florence and Master David Jones was held at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones on Sunday afternoon when 19 little friends came and helped them celebrate their birthday. The first day of February was Miss Florence's sixth birthday and next Wednesday, the fourth, being Master David's 1st birthday. Games and

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music were enjoyed, by the young folks. A number of pretty presents were received to help them remember the day. At 4:30 a supper of all good things to eat was enjoyed by all, the little ones departing to their homes soon after, wishing their little friends many more happy birth days to come.

Miss Laura Priebe and Mrs. Amos Head were shopping in Dixon Thursday.

Mrs. P. D. Fitzpatrick and son Raymond, spent a few days in Chicago last week.

J. J. Morrissey transacted business in Amboy Saturday afternoon.

Mary, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitmore was ill with a bad cold and fever, a few days last week.

Mrs. Thos. Dwyer is recovering nicely after her recent operation at the Amboy hospital.

Ed Campbell is ill with the grip. Miss Lizzie Lannen returned home from Dixon Friday.

John and George Meurer returned home from Chicago Saturday evening after a few days stay in the city.

Misses Mayme, Addie and Hazel Jones of Amboy visited at the E. H. Jones home Sunday.

Mrs. P. D. Fitzpatrick visited at the Alfonso Lauer home in Sublette over Sunday.

Miss Agnes Haley is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Burns in Amboy.

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FOR SALE. The best land in the rain belt. Near market, good water, no hot winds but always a crop. Alfalfa that with barley and speltz will make pork at 2 cents per pound and hog cholera unknown. This land will soon double in price. For \$500 I will deliver an improved farm and some pigs and take the balance of the price of the farm from the pigs. Why rent when you can get a farm for the price of one crop? E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. D. 91tf

FOR SALE. Lot 1, block 20, Gilson's add. to Amboy. Enquire of Mrs. Gustave Shaw, Dixon, Ill. 1f

FOR SALE. 40 acres irrigated land in Colorado, Barr Lake Valley near Brighton and 18 miles from Denver. Mrs. Lillian Morse, 260 Kinsley Drive, Los Angeles, Cal. 260tf

FOR SALE. Nurses' record sheets at the Evening Telegraph office. 1f

FOR SALE. Good work mare, cheap. Sound and safe for family use. Also Rhode Island Red Rose Comb pullets and roosters. J. A. Kerst, 321 W. 10th St. 283\*

FOR SALE. A first class restaurant and confectionery store, only one in town; good business. Ill health cause for selling. Koffee Kup, Rock Falls, Ill. Chas. S. Johnson, Prop. 286\*

FOR SALE. Several lots in Dement town at a bargain. Mrs. Geo. H. Quilres, Dixon, Ill. Phone 783. 75tf

FOR SALE. Potatoes, 85 cents per bushel. Phone 150. J. L. Hartwell & Son. 273\*

## PUBLIC SALE.

To be held on the J. W. Crawford farm three miles east of Dixon on the Franklin Grove road, on Thursday, Feb. 5, 1914, the following property, to-wit:  
8 Head of Horses. 1 4-year old mare, 2 3-year old geldings, 1 yearling gelding, 2 suckling colts, 1 stallion, 1 brood mare in foal.  
7 Head of Cattle. 2 young milch cows, 5 yearling heifers.  
Farm Machinery: 1 McCormick grain binder in good shape, 1 corn binder in good shape, 1 John Deere hay loader, 1 good disk, 1 3-section harrow, 4 corn plows, 1 farm truck, 2 hay racks, 1 hay tedder, 1 hay rake, 1 sower, 1 Clover Leaf manure spreader in good shape, 1 8-horse Fairbanks Morse gasoline engine, grinder and belt, all in good shape, 1 lumber wagon and box, 1 McCormick mower, 1 seeder, 2 walking stubble plows.  
Nearly 400 bushels of barley.  
Sale to commence at 1 o'clock sharp.

Usual terms of sale.  
JOHN HUSLER.  
Geo. Fruin, Auct.  
Clifford Gray, Clerk. 236\*

## LOCAL SALE DATES

Have your sale bills printed at the Telegraph office and have the full bill published in the paper. Prices upon application.

The Dixon Cereal Co. have received a choice lot of old fashioned buckwheat and self-rising buckwheat flour. 44

Feb. 5—John Husler, 3 miles east of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.  
Feb. 10—Frank Alter, closing out sale, 5 miles north of Dixon. Fruin & Ocker, Aucts.

Feb. 6—Charles Moats, 5 miles west of Dixon. Closing out sale. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Thursday, Feb. 12—John Boucher, closing out sale, 4 1-2 miles west of Dixon. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 13—O. D. Risdon, 1 mile southeast of Eldena, big closing out sale. Fruin & Gentry, Aucts.

Feb. 17—Charles Geisler, closing out sale, 4 miles southeast of Dixon. Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 18—Wm. Joynt, 3 miles east of Dixon on the Dr. Ives farm. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 18—Chas. Rosbrook, closing out sale 9 miles southeast of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 19—B. A. Mathias, 3 miles north of Dixon; closing out sale; Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 20—O. J. Luthi, 3 miles east of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 24—Henry Grobe, 8 miles northwest of Dixon, closing out sale. Fruin & Rumely, Aucts.

Feb. 24—Joe Green, 4 miles north east of Dixon. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 25—David Heagy, closing out sale, 3 miles north of Dixon. Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 28—E. J. Dowd, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Harmon; closing out sale. C. P. Plumley, Auct.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Illinois.—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of J. J. Eisenberg—No. 291—Bankrupt.

To the creditors of J. J. Eisenberg of Lee Center, in the County of Lee and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1914, the said J. J. Eisenberg was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, in the City of Dixon, Illinois, on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dixon, Ill., Feb. 4th, 1914.  
HENRY S. DIXON,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Robert S. Scott, Attorney.

By taking the tusks of the mammoth that flourished many years ago and utilizing them in the manufacture of ivory articles for use today the animals that inhabited the world in the glacial period are contributing to the commercial demands of the twentieth century. That is the accomplishment reported from Siberia, where natives far inland found the tusks and took them on sledges to the seacoast. The shipment opened up possible supplies of ivory not heretofore utilized. It's a far cry from the glacial period to the comfort and convenience of the present day. The world is digging deep for its supplies when the mammoth pays its share to human comfort.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.  
Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. \*Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.  
19 Local Express\* 8:18 a. m.  
123 Southern Exp Dly 11:18 a. m.  
31 Clinton Express\* 5:09 p. m.  
Amboy Frt. 8:50 a. m.

North Bound.  
132 Waterloo Exp\* 9:50 a. m.  
24 Local Mail Dly 6:30 p. m.  
20 Local Exp\* 8:05 p. m.  
Freeport Freight. 12:30 p. m.  
CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.  
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.  
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago  
6 3:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.  
24 6:27 a. m. 9:05 a. m.  
28 7:22 a. m. 10:30 a. m.  
18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.  
14 1:16 p. m. 4:00 p. m.  
20 11:08 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:50 p. m.  
4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:40 p. m.  
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:50 p. m.  
12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.  
No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon  
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.  
99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.  
19 10:15 a. m. 12:50 p. m.  
9 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.  
27 4:20 p. m. 7:26 p. m.  
11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.  
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.  
17 9:31 p. m. 11:53 p. m.  
7 10:02 p. m. 12:36 a. m.  
3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.  
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria  
801 8:35 Peoria Pas 11:52 a. m.  
\*Los Angeles Limited.  
Stops only for passengers to Granger, Wyo., or beyond.

## Obeyed the Telephone.

A woman took her little brown cocker spaniel with her to call on a friend who lived a mile or so away. When she left she quite forgot the dog, and as soon as her friend discovered him she did all she could to make him leave, without success. Some hours passed and he was still there. So she telephoned to his mistress to let her know his whereabouts. "Bring him to the telephone," said she. One of the boys held him, while another put the receiver to the dog's ear. Then his mistress whistled and called, "Come home at once, Paddy." Immediately he wriggled out of the boy's arms, rushed to the door, barking to get out, and shortly afterward arrived panting at home.

## Not a Rich Reward.

A popular doctor was not long ago much pleased with a certain aerated water, and by his assiduous recommendations procured for it a celebrity it justly deserved. The doctor acted solely in the interests of humanity generally, and expected no return. To his surprise there came one morning an effusive letter from the company, saying that his recommendations had done them so much good that they "ventured to send him a hundred." Here the page came to an end. "This will never do," said the doctor; "it is very kind, but I could not think of accepting anything." Here he turned the page and found the sentence ran: "of our circulars for distribution."

## Tetrazzini's Little Joke.

While spending a holiday at her recent delightful villa at Paradiso, Lugano, Mme. Tetrazzini, the celebrated "diva," noticed a party of English visitors standing near by. Approaching them, she shook hands with each one, and spoke with enthusiasm of her visit to England. Presently she went into the house with a smile. Almost immediately the windows of the villa were thrown open, and golden notes rang out on the clear air. All listened enraptured, but Mme. Tetrazzini returned to the garden again. Still the song went on. It was madame's joke, for the visitors were listening to a gramophone reproducing the wonderful voice.

## Problem for Class in Anatomy.

Lawyers are trying to persuade the Missouri supreme court that a man's head is not a part of his body. Their client, a murderer, shot a man in the head, but the indictment charged that he shot his victim in the body, and for this error they believe he should be freed. According to this anatomical theory the old song about "Coming Thro' the Rye" was an encounter between a couple of headless trunks. And how could a body kiss a body under those circumstances, and how could a body cry?—Kansas City Star.

## Telephone No. 5, the Dixon Evening Telegraph, and subscribe for the paper for your friend or relative.

It's as good as a letter from home and makes a most acceptable gift. The Daily, \$3 a year; Semi-Weekly, \$1.50 per year.

If you have any second hand furniture you wish to dispose of try a for sale ad in the Telegraph, 25 words six times for 50 cents or three times for 25 cents.

## PHONE No. 6

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## MARKETS

## THINK OF IT

Corn ..... 55 59  
Oats ..... 35 35  
Eggs ..... 30 35  
Butter ..... 25 30  
Lard ..... 11 15  
Potatoes ..... 70 95

## BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

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Chicago, Feb. 4 1914

## Wheat

May 92 1/2% 93 1/2% 92 1/2% 92 1/2%  
July 88 1/2% 88 1/2% 88 1/2% 88 1/2%

## Corn

May 66 66 65 1/2% 65 1/2%  
July 65 65 64 1/2% 64 1/2%  
Sept 63 1/2% 63 1/2% 63 1/2% 63 1/2%

## Oats

May 39 1/2% 39 1/2% 38 1/2% 38 1/2%  
July 39 39 38 1/2% 38 1/2%

## Pork

May 2157 2177 2150 2154

## Lard

May 1100 1112 1100 1112  
July 1115 1130 1115 1162

## Ribs

May 1150 1162 1145 1152  
July 1162 1177 1162 1177

Hogs open steady. Left over — 2576.

Mixed—\$20 @ \$45.  
Heavy—\$15 @ \$50.  
Rough—\$15 @ \$25.  
Light—\$20 @ \$45.

Cattle steady. Sheep strong.

Receipts today—

Hogs—37,000.

Cattle—15,000.

Sheep—17,000.

Hogs close strong, 5c higher.

Estimated tomorrow—35,000.

## John Bally of route 7, has taken

the agency for Wear Proof Hosiery, positively the best hose on the market for the price, a hose that is guaranteed for four months, and if they do not prove satisfactory at the end of that time they will be replaced by a new pair. Drop a card to John Bally. He will call and show you samples. 97U

## CLOSING OUT SALE.

The undersigned will have a closing out sale at his place of residence on the John Duffy farm 5 miles west of Dixon on the River road, north side, and 2 1-2 miles south of Gap Grove, on

Friday, Feb. 6, 1914,

the following property, to-wit:  
8 Horses: 1 pair of gray brood mares 7 and 8 years old, wt. 2850; 1 paid geldings coming 3 years old, broke, wt. 2800; 1 gelding 5 years old, wt. 1650; 1 bay pacing mare coming 3 years old; 1 spring draft colt; 1 spring colt, driving stock.

11 Cattle: 4 milch cows, 2 heavy springers, 2 2-year old Holstein heifers, bred; 2 yearling heifers; 2 6-months' old steers; 1 6-months' old heifer.

1 brood sow.

Farm Machinery of all descriptions.  
25 tons clover hay; 650 bushels of corn in crib; 500 bushels of oats in bin; 30 bushels of red clover seed; 10 tons of ensilage.

Sale to begin promptly at 12 m. Free lunch at 11:30. Usual terms of sale.

CHAS. MOATS.

Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Clifford Gray, Clerk. 273

30,000 Persons Publicly Recommend Our Remedy. Some Are Dixon People.

Over one hundred thousand have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. For backache, kidney, urinary ills. Thirty thousand signed testimonials are appearing now in public print.

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No other remedy shows such proof. Follow this Dixon man's example.

W. Walford, blacksmith, 543 Walnut Ave., Dixon, Ill., says: "I had quite a little trouble from my back and kidneys. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage and when I stooped, I had pain across my sides. My back often ached. I used several boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and they made me well. The pains left and the action of my kidneys was regulated."

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6 Nice Salt Mackerel	25 Cents.
New Pails Mackerel, 10 pounds	\$1.00

3 lbs evaporated peaches	25c	2 lbs Japan Tea Siftings	25c
2 3-lb cans Peaches	25c	10 bars Ger. Family Soap	25c
4 3-lb cans Pears	25c	3 3-lb cans Apples	25c
1 gal can Pieplant	25c	4 lbs fine Rice	25c
4 cans Hominy	25c	2 silver spoons and pound	25c
4 cans Kidney Beans	25c	Baking Powder	25c
4 cans Sweet Potatoes	25c	4 cans nice Peas	28c
4 cans Tomatoes	25c	Good mixed sample Tea 1b	25c
		Curtice Bros. pure Jams jar	20c

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The rates for lathing this season will be as follows: 4 cents per yard in city; 4 cents and board outside of Dixon or 4 1/2 if we board ourselves. All additions and patchwork by the hour, 50 cents per hour. Dixon Lathers. 16tf

WANTED.

Experienced machinist linotype operator, also night operator, Evening Telegraph, Dixon, Ill. 16tf

I will hold a closing out sale at the T. F. Durr farm, 1 mile west and 2 miles north of Harmon, on Wednesday, Feb. 4, at 11 o'clock, of horses, cattle and farm machinery. Free lunch at 11. Clyde R. Wise. 25 3\*

Nurses record sheets in blocks of 50 for sale at the Telegraph office. 25tf

The South Dixon tax collector will be at the Dixon National bank Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. 25tf

COMBINATION PLACE.

To be held at my place of business on Peoria Ave., on Saturday, Feb. 21. Anyone having property to sell please list it early.

BEN BAUS, Prop.

Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Clifford Gray, Clerk. 23tf

BAPTIST FOOD SALE.

At T. J. Miller's Music Store, Saturday, Feb. 7th. 29 3

Auction Sale.

Saturday, Feb. 7, at 10 o'clock sharp at the I. C. stock yards on the south side, will sell carload of choice milch cows and springers. These are all listed cattle P. J. Fitzgerald, Owner. 29 3

One Step Nearer the End.

During the staging of a series of Shakespeare's plays in one week at Stratford-on-Avon not only were the performers tired out, but the heavy shifting and many changes had also wearied the scene-shifters and property-men. One night just after a strong death scene, when Mr. F. R. Benson as one of the English kings had drawn his last stage breath, one of the stage hands was heard to observe in a growling undertone to one of his fellows: "Well, Bill, thank God there's another bloody king dead."

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By reports of 1912 the number of volumes and pamphlets contained in the library of congress, Washington, was 2,912,393; New York public library, 1,181,392, and its branches, 908,828 additional; Boston public library, 1,006,717; Brooklyn public library, 735,848; Chicago public library, 501,399; Cleveland public library, 444,907. The largest university libraries were Harvard, with 972,574 volumes; Yale, 900,000; Columbia university, 500,000; university of Chicago, 381,351.

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2 in 1 Shoe Polish or Shinola, box 5

Best tubular shoe laces, doz. . . . .5

Ladies black seamless hose, pair. 5

Boys leather top overshoes for German socks, a pair . . . . .50

### PHIL N. MARKS

### CAPT. WILLIAM F. FULLAM



Captain Fullam, U. S. N., who has been on duty in Washington as aid for personnel to the secretary of the navy, has been appointed superintendent of the naval academy at Annapolis to succeed Capt. John H. Gibbons. Captain Fullam was graduated from the academy in 1877 at the head of his class and has had 20 years of sea duty.

### APPEALS TO CONGRESS

Secretary Wilson Asks Law to Curb Armed Men in Strikes.

Cites Colorado and Michigan Labor Troubles as Proof of the Charge He Makes.

Washington, Feb. 4.—A protest against the use of firearms and the employment of armed guards and private detectives in labor disputes and strikes was made by Secretary W. B. Wilson of the department of labor in his first annual report submitted to President Wilson.

He recommends that congress enact legislation "within its constitutional limitations to regulate this business in the interest of public peace and order."

"The use of firearms," said Secretary Wilson, "in a species of private warfare in connection with labor strikes calls for serious consideration. Groups of men on both sides, without military or police authority for it, have used firearms with fatal effect in the coal strike in southern Colorado."

"Many of the armed guards are said to have been imported into Colorado through a concern engaged commercially across state lines in supplying corporations with an armed and trained private soldiery or police in numbers running into hundreds, and even thousands."

"In connection with the Pere Marquette strike in Michigan armed guards, furnished by agencies in other states supplying men to take the place of local strikers, accompanied those men to Grand Rapids. They were there turned back by the United States marshal under instruction from the district judge. In the Calumet copper mining region armed guards under contract with the employers were forwarded to the locality by agencies in other states."

On relations of capital and labor Secretary Wilson says:

"Employers who act collectively in hiring wage-earners are often averse to dealing with agents of wage-earners who collectively offer their services. It is upon this point that labor disputes frequently spring up and become acute. In most instances in which employers accord workmen practical recognition of the right of collective bargaining which they themselves exercise, fair relations are maintained."

### FAILS FOR FIVE MILLION

London Banking House Suspends Payments.

London, Feb. 4.—Coulson, Berthoud & Co., a small foreign banking house in Moorgate street, suspended payment. An evening newspaper says its liabilities are \$5,000,000, but accountants say the liabilities are between \$1,500,000 and \$2,000,000. The failure apparently was hastened by the assignment of Fry, Miers & Co., South American merchants. The firm was really more a mercantile house than a bank, and did considerable American and Mexican business.

### Coal Prices Drop Fifty Cents a Ton.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 4.—All the larger coal dealers announced a cut of 50 cents per ton in the price of all grades of coal. While no definite information as to the reason for the drop can be obtained from the dealers, it is believed the unusually mild winter has left them overstocked.

Major General Carter in Chicago. Chicago, Feb. 4.—Major General William H. Carter, who ten months ago left Chicago to assume command of the United States troops along the Mexican border, returned to Chicago.

### THIS WEEK

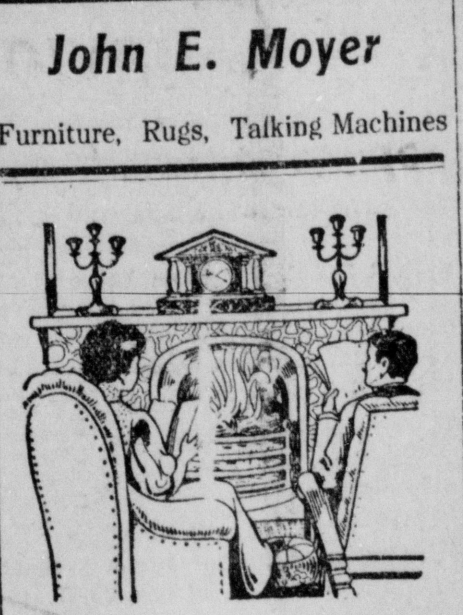
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### INGOT IRON.

After long search and exhaustive experiment, certain stove manufacturers of the country have announced that they have found a metal did metal—hard, tough, fairly ductile, surpasses all others for their tile, and almost perfectly non-corrosive. They have adopted it as the king of the common metals, and the larger plants are using it exclusively. It is ingot iron.

When the Bessemer process revolutionized the whole steel industry many stove makers were ready to adopt Bessemer steel as the last word. For years it was so accepted in the face of the fact that it was subject to rust and corrosion to a very high degree.

Some manufacturers, however, felt that modern science could produce something better. Admirable as Bessemer steel was, its one serious defect could not be overlooked. The stove of today is of iron, and finally one concern discovered the substitute (Ingot Iron) and immediately discarded the steel.

This step was not taken by the stove men until the United States government recognized the high usefulness of the new iron. Other big concerns, notably several railroad companies, followed experiment, certain stove manufacturers of the country have announced that they have found a metal did metal—hard, tough, fairly ductile, surpasses all others for their tile, and almost perfectly non-corrosive. They have adopted it as the king of the common metals, and the larger plants are using it exclusively. It is ingot iron.

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